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Amendments to the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1 and 10 and amend claims 2, 4-6 and 9 as follows. The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Cancelled).

Claim 2 (Currently Amended). A wire dot printer head according to claim [[1]] 6, wherein the receiving member is unitarily formed with the arm.

Claim 3 (Previously Presented). A wire dot head according to claim 2, wherein the receiving member comprises a part of the arm.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended). A wire dot printer head according to claim [[1]] 6, wherein the receiving member is disposed orthogonally to the direction of pressure application by the pressing member.

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Claim 5 (Currently Amended). A wire dot printer head according to claim [[1]] 6, wherein an end face on the core side of the arm is formed smaller in width in a direction orthogonal to the direction of extension of the arm than the pressing member  
5 in the direction of width.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended). A wire dot printer head ~~according to claim 1, comprising:~~  
a plurality of cores each wound with a coil;  
a plurality of armatures each having an arm supporting a  
5 printing wire, and rockably mounted in a position opposite to the  
plural cores;  
a plurality of receiving members each formed in a shape of a  
plate, and each mounted on an end face on a core side of the arm;  
and  
10 a plurality of pressing members each being in contact with  
the plurality of receiving members, and pressing the armatures in  
a direction away from the cores,

wherein the pressing member has a contact face for being in contact with the receiving member[[;]], the receiving member  
15 being formed to come in contact only with one part of the contact face of the pressing member.

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Claim 7 (Original). A wire dot printer head according to claim 6, wherein the receiving member is provided on both sides of the arm.

Claim 8 (Original). A wire dot printer head according to claim 6, wherein the receiving member is provided on one side of the arm.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended). A wire dot printer head according to claim ~~[[1]]~~ 6, wherein the arm is about 0.20 mm thick.

Claim 10 (Cancelled).

Claim 11 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 2;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;  
a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and

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a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.

Claim 12 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 3;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;

a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing  
medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and  
a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.

Claim 13 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 4;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;

a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing  
medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and

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a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.

Claim 14 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 5;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;

a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing  
medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and  
a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.

Claim 15 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 6;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;

a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing  
medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and

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a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.

Claim 16 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 7;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;  
a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing  
medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and  
a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.

Claim 17 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 8;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;  
a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing  
medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and

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a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.

Claim 18 (Original). A wire dot printer comprising:  
a wire dot printer head according to claim 9;  
a platen disposed oppositely to the wire dot printer head;  
a carriage which reciprocates along the platen, holding the  
5 wire dot printer head;

a printing medium conveyor section which conveys a printing  
medium between the wire dot printer head and the platen; and

a drive control unit which drives the wire dot printer head,  
the carriage, and the printing medium conveyor section in  
10 accordance with printing data.